

The

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Foreword and Dedication

Unity is oneness in purpose. This purpose, or the common goal at Central Catholic, is the education of the entire man. It is not only the advancement of the intellect, but the molding of Christian character through development of the will. This unity shines forth in many ways through the spirit incorporated by the students in their activities.

During Orientation Week this spirit of oneness is introduced to the freshmen. It is developed and becomes part of the student throughout his sophomore and junior year. To the senior, the spirit of unity is most evident; in fact, it is he who forms this spirit and injects it into the student body. He sets the pace of the school in leadership, scholarship, and unity. He is the finished product.

After graduation he carries with him the spirit of unity that he has acquired at Central Catholic and instills it in the hearts of men. He takes his place in the world, fulfilling his vocation as a Catholic, uniting the world in love.

In this, the 1964 Medallion, the staff has tried to depict the unique spirit of unity that abides within the walls of Central Catholic and the hearts of you, the students. We hope that you will recognize this spirit as you travel through the pages of this book.



"United we stand; divided we fall." How true these words ring in our modern world. The forces of evil are uniting, forming a deadly bloc of hatred, intolerance, and indifference. In the midst of world chaos, the Roman Catholic Church has called an Ecumenical Council, in hope that all Christians may once again be one fold and one shepherd.

We hope that by dedicating this yearbook to the Ecumenical Council we may bring to mind the tremendous need for its success; and that we may enlist the prayers of all as an insurance for that outcome.



Most Reverend John L.

Morkovsky, S.T.D.

Coadjutor-Apostolic Administrator of Galveston-Houston

Most Reverend W. J. Nold, S. T. D.

Bishop of Galveston-Houston



JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY

The students of Central Catholic loved him. We looked up to him as a towering example of all the fine traits a man is capable of possessing. His warmth was felt throughout the country, and when his life was taken, the world became chilled in a stupor of incredibility. Perhaps his exhibition of martyrdom, his tragic death, will serve a purpose in uniting the world as it united world leaders at his funeral geremonies.

He is gone, but his famous words, "Ask not what your country can do for you; ask what you can do for your country," will live on in the halls of time.



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Administration





Father Leonard-Principal

Acting as the principal of Central Catholic is one of Father Leonard's biggest jobs. He also presides at the Foun dation meetings and teaches religion to the freshmen. In spite of his busy schedule, Father is always available whenever a student or member of the faculty needs help or guidance.





Father Glynn is the treasurer of the Foundation. He teaches religion to the juniors and seniors.





Father Rechtin the assistant principal, takes time out to talk to a few students. He also teaches religion and is the Athletic Director of Central Catholic

Director of the Drama Club, Sister Magdalena, gives new ideas to Conrad and David. Sister also instructs the candidates for the Girls' Sodality and is the moderator of Homeroom 6.



The instructor of sophomore and sen for English, including an accelerated senior English class, is Sister Stanislaus. Home foom 18 is under her guidance.





Coaching the sopranos, Sister Mary Louis enjoys her job as director of the Glee Club. She's usually seen in Room 14.



Sister Patrice unfolds the mysteries of the world around us. She has charge of our Blue Battalion and cheerleaders, and sponsors Homeroom 11.



Guiding the journalism students in publishing the Barker is Sister Dorothy. She also teaches home economics and biology and is the sponsor of Homeroom 9.

A new instructor is Mr. Weeks, who teaches science and math. He sponsors the Red Cross and the freshmen in Homeroom 19.





Mrs. Harris, our school secretary, can usually be found in the office, assisting the students and carrying on her various duties.



Our library is under the direction of Sister Annunciata with Barbara Klema as assistant librarian Sister teaches civics and is the Homeroom sponsor of room 10



Sister Rose Martin, the director of the Medallion, is in charge of the book store and sponsors the F.B.L.A. and Homeroom 4. She also teaches typing and bookkeeping

Coach Novak, the head football coach, is also the freshman basketball coach. He teaches algebra one and boys' P.E. classes.





Mrs. Allen instructs all of the girls' P.E. classes and sponsors the Girls' Athletic Association.

Demonstrating the principles of math is Coach Reimer, the head basketball coach. He also teaches boys' P.E. classes





Sister Innocentia, of Homeroom 25, teaches Latin I, II, and III. On Tuesday afternoon, she moderates the Boys' Sodality



Mrs. DeYoung gives aid to a student in algebra II. She also teaches geometry and biology



Sister Frances Clare, moderator of the Girls' Sodality, teaches Spanish and American History.



Demonstrating the correct spelling is Mrs. Heinen, who teaches Spanish I and II, and sophomore English. She is the moderator of Homeroom 20



Mrs. Audilet, one of our new teachers, sponsors Homeroom 17, and teaches several subjects including speech

FACULTY

Fr. L. J. Leonard, C. M	Principal
Fr. Anthony Rechtin, C. M	Assistant Principal
Fr. William Glynn, C. M	Treasurer
Mrs. Nancy Allen .	Physical Education
Sr. M. Annunciata, O. P	Librarian, Religion, Social Studies
Mrs. Jo Theresa Audilet	General Math, Speech
Mrs. H. G. DeYoung	Mathematics, Science
Sr. M. Dorothy, O. P	Biology, Journalism, Home Economics
Sr. Frances Clare, O. P	History, Spanish, Religion
Mrs. Catherine Heinen .	. Spanish, English
Sr. M. Innocentia, O. P	Latin
Sr. Mary Louis, O. P	English, Religion, Music
Sr. M. Magdalena, O.P	English, Speech, Religion
Mr. Julius "Sonny" Novak	Physical Education, Mathematics
Sr. M. Patrice, O. P	Science, Mathematics
Mr. John W. Reimer	Physical Education, Mathematics
Sr. Rose Martin, O. P	Business Education
Sr. M. Stanislaus, O. P.	English
Mr. George S. Weeks	Mathematics, Science



CLASSES





Security is off its it is the first to arrive for the the little are first row—Judy Rebinett Ist, Crowny Peggy Portie; second row—Joe Dyer, Jo Ann Daleo, James Fahey

SENIORS

JEAN KATHRYN BARGA

With such poise and charm, Jean enjoys dating ... Her self determination and consideration for others will help her in a nursing career.

VINCENT PAUL BATTAGLIA

A quiet sort of guy, but always friendly... baseball and football hold his interest...will study business at A&M.





JAMES HEBERT BORDAGES

With his sense of humor, he can make you laugh in an instant . . . His goal is to be a lawyer

RAPHAEL BOURQUE

Known for his friendly smile...Raphael likes people...will pursue engineering at Lamar next year.

... We carry the spirit of unity into the hearts of men.



THERESA BRAMER

A lively smiling girl...loves the "Four Seasons ... has chosen Lamar to study secretarial science.

THOMAS L. BRYSON

fbough easy-going, Tom is dedicated to St. Pius CYO... He heads for Lamar and engineering



"St. Jude, patron of impossible cases



KATHLEEN ANN BUCKLEY

Loves Italian food and buying clothes... She's been the funny bone of our class. Wouldn't the world be a dull place without Kathy?

JANIS PAULETTE BUDWINE

Likes to dance...a lively and fun-loving senior ...her ambition? A nurse or a doctor, to study at Sacred Heart or Lamar

BONNIE MARIA CHAPLAIN

Most talented of our class...will go to Lamar to major in languages...She'll definitely be a success

SAMUEL JOSEPH CHIRAFIS

Sports, cars, parties, are his interests...not much bothers him...next step Lamar, business or physical education.





"So you see, class . . . " says teacher Tom Bryson.

MARGARET ANNE COCO

A genuine interest in people... has added love for animals, especially horses.

WILLIAM RICHARD CROWLEY

Football letterman and student council officer ... fights hard for the Blue and Gold ... will major in chemistry at Lamar.



TO ANN THERESA DALEO

Our busy bee...works endlessly as our Barker editor...striking blue eyes—with a sophisticated touch

NAM PAUL DANNA, IR

Good natured and easy going, Sam has a fond ness for parties and hillbilly music; he looks to Limar for accounting





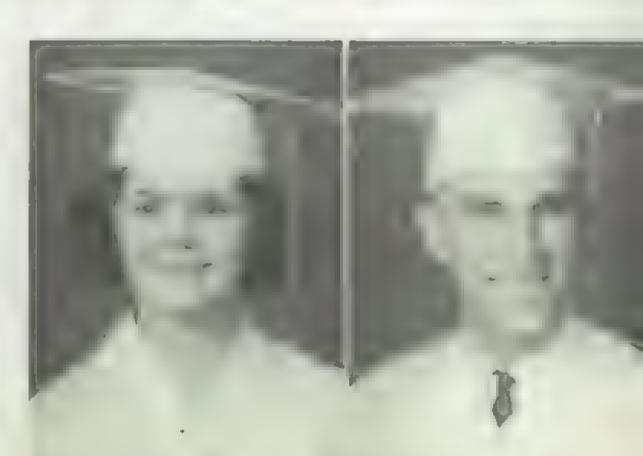
Three o'clock rush hour

SYLVIA DECUIR

Atways cheerful ... easity makes friends...plans to study Home Economics at Sacred Heart

JAMES N. DELATTE, JR

Quiet and industrious...enjoys teaching religion... will be found taking ecclesiastical studies at Loras College





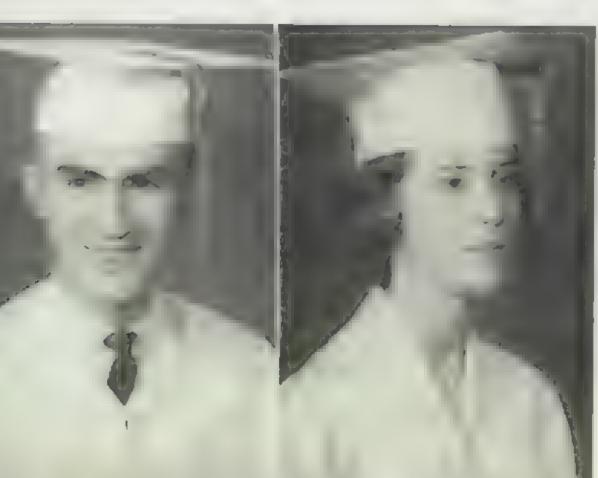
CRUZ DELUNA

Another seemingly quiet senior...a knack for friendship...can be found playing baseball.

JOSEPH LAURY DEMORUELLE, JR

An avid baseball fan and player...pians to study mechanical engineering at L. S. U





ROBERT MALCOLM DINSMORE

Bobby D. ... the terror of the basketball court and the life of the party...plans to study business at Lamar

ELAINE DOUCETTE

Friendly and fun-loving , elementary education heads her list for the future



Crowley and Fahey laugh it up before a pep rally

CHARLES WAYNE DU CHAMP

Enjoys his new Tempest... We'll find him at Aggieland taking electrical engineering

JOSEPH RAYMOND DYER

Loves oil painting...is known for expressing his opinion...as for the future—"Rats! I'm not ture"



CAMPBELL ELLIS

He's known by his playful grin...plans to attend Lamar or U.C.L.A. studying pharmacy.

JAMES F. FAHEY, JR.

A nice guy with a devilish smile...desires to study aeronautical engineering at U. T



Carmen works on the Barker.



CARMEN FERGUSON

Always smiling, that's our Carmen. Journalism is her aim... with experience as assistant editor of the Barker, she will go far.

CHARLES GERARD FERTITTA

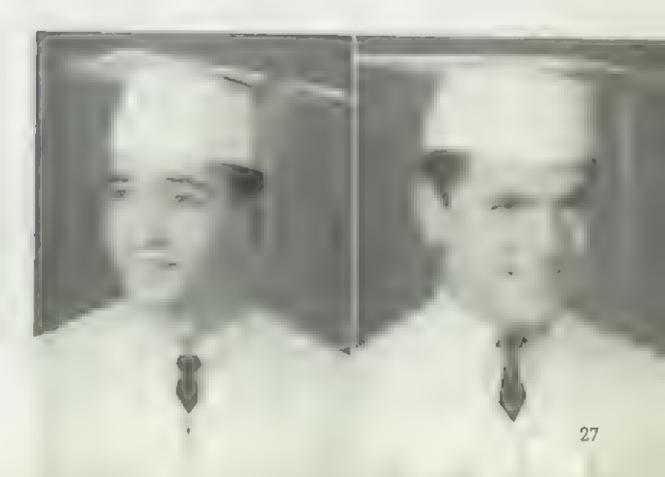
Hail the handsome varsity hero...car rates high with him.. known for his jovial manner.

VINCENT CONRAD FERTITTA

Easy-going, refuses to be bored...leans towards business administration at Lamar

RUSSELL ROSARIO FONTANA

Happy-go lucky...Russell strums his guitar ... wants someday to be wealthy and prosperous





Seniors swap jokes in smoker's alley.



SANDRA FONTENOT

Pretty puffy hair-do...always with a smile, will use her talent at beautician school and after

PATRICIA ANN FOURNIER

A warm sincere personality belongs to our Patsy another wise senior, she has chosen Lamar.

MIKE GALIANO

Our senior favorite...loves sports including football and baseball...next year will find him a dentistry major at A&M.

JOE GIARDINA

A nice guy with a friendly smile...really plays a mean guitar...for his college major he has chosen business and music.





"Is it that bad, Cam?"

EILFEN ELIZABETH GILMORI

Refuses to be bored...a mad advocate for horses...will attend Loretto Heights, in Colo

ELVINA GODEAUX

An attractive combination of dependability and charm...intelligent and poised...looks hap pily to the future





EDWARD JOSEPH GUISE, III

A quiet and industrious fellow...he plans to be a veterinarian.

LINDA GAIL HARGRAVES

A dependable friend and a conscientious worker...active in Sodality...Linda will make a perfect nurse



GREGORY THOMAS HARROP

Quite a clown...loves dancing, eating, and parties...top notch on our basketball and base-ball teams

COOPER FRANKLINE HAWTHORNE, JR

A talented senior with music in his blood. Someday we may see him as a bank president. Good luck'

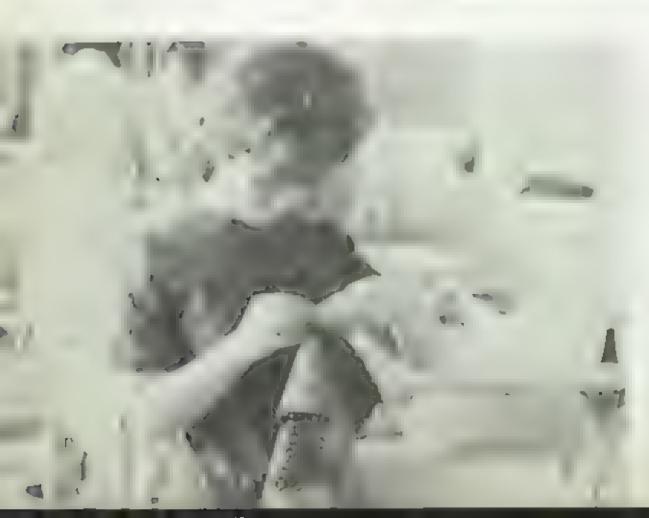
JUDITH KAY HIGGINS

Our cute little pixie ... always smiling up at everyone ... Texas U. claims her and her petite personality

TRANCES LOUISE HOHN

Unobtrusively friendly and interested in people ... has a gift for writing poetry... She will study accounting at Lamar





Judy struggles with her first dart.

JUDITH ANNE JACKSON

Inclined to be quiet but never without a giggle ... loves to have fun will also join her class mates at Lamar

GRAVES MORRIS JONES, JR.

Another reserved classmate...hobbies are shooting and photography...will study pre-law at Lamar Tech.





BARBARA CAROL KLEMA

A dependable friend...enjoys sewing and pit nics...an important asset to those lost in the library.

WILLIAM MICHAEL KLEMA

Fnjoys Jishing ... Mike plans to become a chef will study at the Culinary Institute of Amer-



Barbara helps out in the library's new reference room

L, CLAYTON LAU, III

A real shutter bug.. enjoys taking and developing his own pictures...other interests include golf and playing cards

JOSEPH JOHN LIBBON

Can be found studying chemistry and physics to gether... enjoys collect coms... His amb tion is to be a doctor





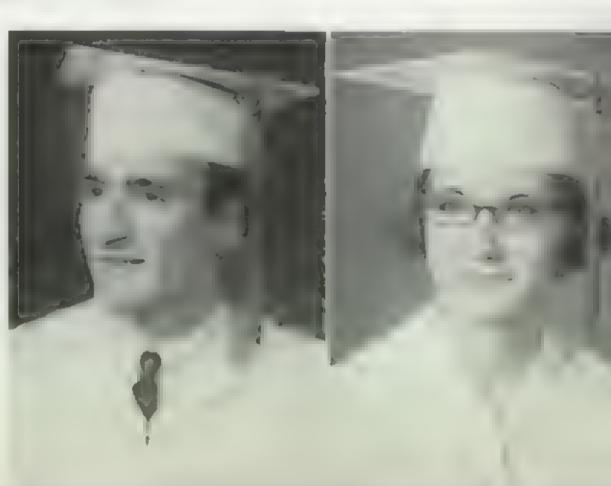
Nonchalant Edward meditates

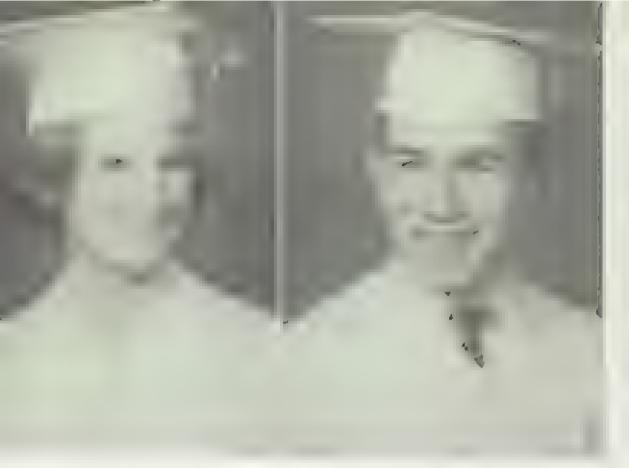
LDWARD MAZZU

Dancing, tennis, and traveling hold Eddy's in terest...dependable and friendly...best of luck to a nice guy!

GEORGIA MICREASH

She always has a smile and a greeting...plans to attend Durham Business College to be a secretary.





MERIDITH MONTAGNET

Pink cheeks and stylish clothes...a warm smile and a charming personality are her in gredients for success.

RICHARD MONTE

A little guy with a shy smile...enjoys sports... his aim is a cateer in the Navy.

MARY PHYLLIS NAQUIN

Carefree and devilish...likes to have fun... Next fail she hopes to be a freshman—at Lamar

SAMUAL MATHEW NUCHIA

Undernourished...Sam can be found weight lifting...enjoys football...will be studying law at U. of H.



Theresa Bramer shows Patsy Fournier how to operate the Dictaphone Machine.



Vincent, Don, and Sam study an example of good journalism

DAVID MICHAEL OLIVER

Quiet unassuming guy who manages to ac complish a lot .. plans a career in engineering will study at Texas

DONALD PARIGI

Don has a lively grin...can fool you with his shy grin...He will do well as a manage ment ma,or



GERALDINE PICCIONE

Sparkling eyes and a pretty smile...person lity will prove an asset in a career as a nurse

GARY POIKA

His hobbies include skiing and bowling He has endless enthusiasm for math which he ll study at Lamar



"Now, here's the way you do this," says Gerard.



PEGGY SUE PORTIE

A delightful ambassador of good will...versatile in her capabilities...Her goal is nursing in New Orleans.

JUDITH MARIE ROBINETT

Quiet and soft spoken—well, not all the time ... always neat as a pin... plans to attend U.T. to be a nurse.

JOSEPHINE ANN ROSA

Our Jo Ann aims high to political science , hopes to study in New York . . . diligence and dedication will see her through

GERARD M. SALA

Tall and friendly ... seldom silent ... Air Force Officer Training is his aim





Seniors Carnien Fergerson, David Oliver, Jo Ann Daleo, and Julius Sensat had a great time at the Exes Dance



CHARLES SAVINO

A friend of all and lots of fun., played hard for the Bulldogs on our basketball team

JULIUS O. SENSAT

He's recognized everywhere... Our progres sive jazz frend plans to major in chemistry or physics at Rice University

RODNEY SMITH

Rodney's the outdoors boy enjoys skiing sports and cars. Accounting will be his major at Lamar next fall.

PHYLLIS TANGREDI

Loads of fun and a loyal friend. This pert miss is headed for success in whatever she does





Don't worry, Lanz... Sandra will show you how."



BIVIRLY ELAINE THOMPSON

Gay laughter and a cheery greeting...her idea of enjoyment is dancing...Lamar claims another one of our seniors.

SANDRA TILL I

Amicable and ambitious...enjoys bowling, swimming, and skiing ...would like to be a secretary after graduation.

SHARON ANN TURKLESON

Sharon is a busy girl as our drum majorette. She enjoys making her own clothes... always ready to help a friend

MICHAFL EDMONSON TYNDALL

Playing cards and tennis take up his spare time...another L.S.U. fan will study pre-



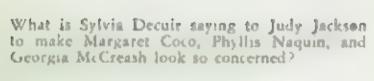


RONNIE J. VENZA

A. rather quiet sort of a guy,...when asleep plans to study public accounting... is completely satisfied to be himself...wants to attend Lamar.

MARY CATHERINE VERDL

Cute...demure...quiet...that's our Mary likes tennis...Home Economics is her major







BELLA LOUISE WIBIR

A cute cheerleader...a tiny bit squeamish about bugs, especially spiders...a future Longhorn

JANE LEE WOODFIN

Big beautiful eyes and a sunny personality will major in Home Economics



Morris Jones holds office door open for fellow classmates, Joe Guy Giardina and Cruz DeLuna



Frances Hohn, Jane Ramos, Ray Bourque, and Rodney Smith make a visit to the chapel at recess



Sammy Chirafis seems undecided about which book to take for next period



In a junior class meeting, President Paul Knoblock calls on representative Kathryn Goetz, while Vice-president Mike McGettigan and representatives Judy Malley, Jan Barry, Jerry Dodinger look on

JUNIORS ...



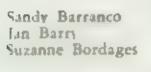
...help organize
school life.

Robert Allen Jake Angelo Marilyn Arena Sammy Barranco











junior girls working diligently in Home Ec.



"Now listen here, Kathleen!"



Freddie Bosse Raymond Brassard Concetta Brocato



Mary Lou Broussard Lana Bruno Robert Burnett George Busceme

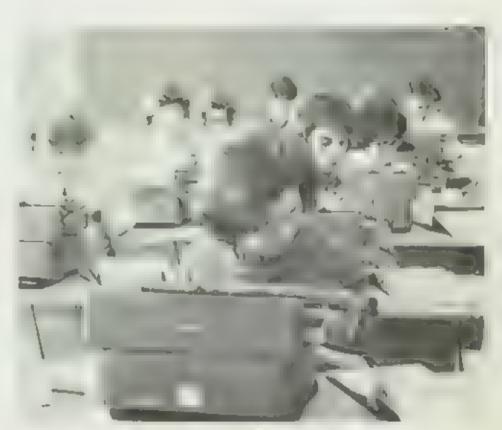


Diana Caldronia Neill Carlson Joseph Carrague Patricia Cochran

Bernard Daleo Mary Lou Dicks Jerry Dollinger



Junior boys confer on the world's problems.



Juniors abscribed in typing class





laina Finch leff Fisher Sharyn Flanigan Anita Fontenot





Juniors make an early start

Kathy Goetz

Mauteen French

Billy Frank

Art Geis



Kelly Grinnell Rickey Hale

Ann Giglio





John Hamby Pat Hebert Mark Hicks





Mike McLauchlan Kathleen Mullally Fimothy Mullally Grace Naguin



Happy birthday, Pat Hebert!



"I don't believe it," says Mary Lou.



Cheryl Portie Jane Ramos Polly Reynolds







Charles Rouse Ronnie Scarborough Travis Seymour Tim Stelly









Study hard, Bernard!!



Darn' m for r agoin





Kathleen Teare Richard Thompson Frances Tortorice







R. C. Tortorice Dwayne Toups Bobby Trail Sue Venza Lucille Wagner



Pat Sculley, president of the sophomore class, has an answer for everything. Other members of the class are representatives. Luke Petkovsek, Nancy Rinando, Mary. Goetz, and. Tommy. Peterson.

SOPHOMORES...



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Sophesores pan the school in briking the Barreys.

...grow in the spirit of oneness.

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Registration for sophorores



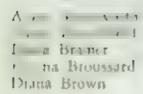
Malinda Adams Patsy Allen Eileen Angenend Gordon Baxter



Jo Ann Benoit



'Go, fight ...'

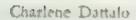


John Brown Michaele Bryson Michael Campbell Jan Castille Vincent Coco



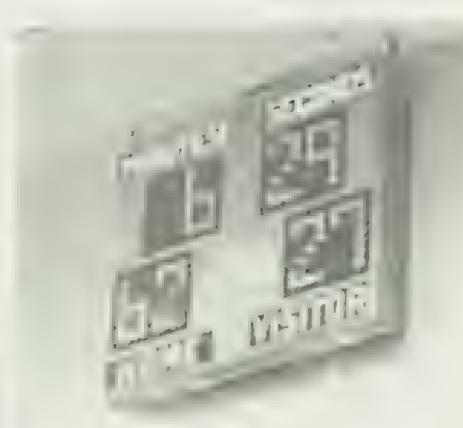


Geraldine Connor Walter Corbin Wayne Daigle Lyneol Danna





Cir. Bilate, ser , 21



"We did it!"



Nancy Delage Juna Dorron Kenny Dollinger Henry Duncan Bill Ellsworth

Joey Fama Beda Fanning Linda Fazio Iva Ray Fertitta Mary Figari























Charles Hill







Jim Higgins Tom Higgins



V-Ann Jamail Kelley Johnston



Earl Kibodeaux



Brenda Kımbrough Lois Kuhl



"Got it focused, Mike?



Douglas Kuritz Bill Langdom Angelina LaSalle



Louise Lau Erwin LeBlanc



Carole Maida



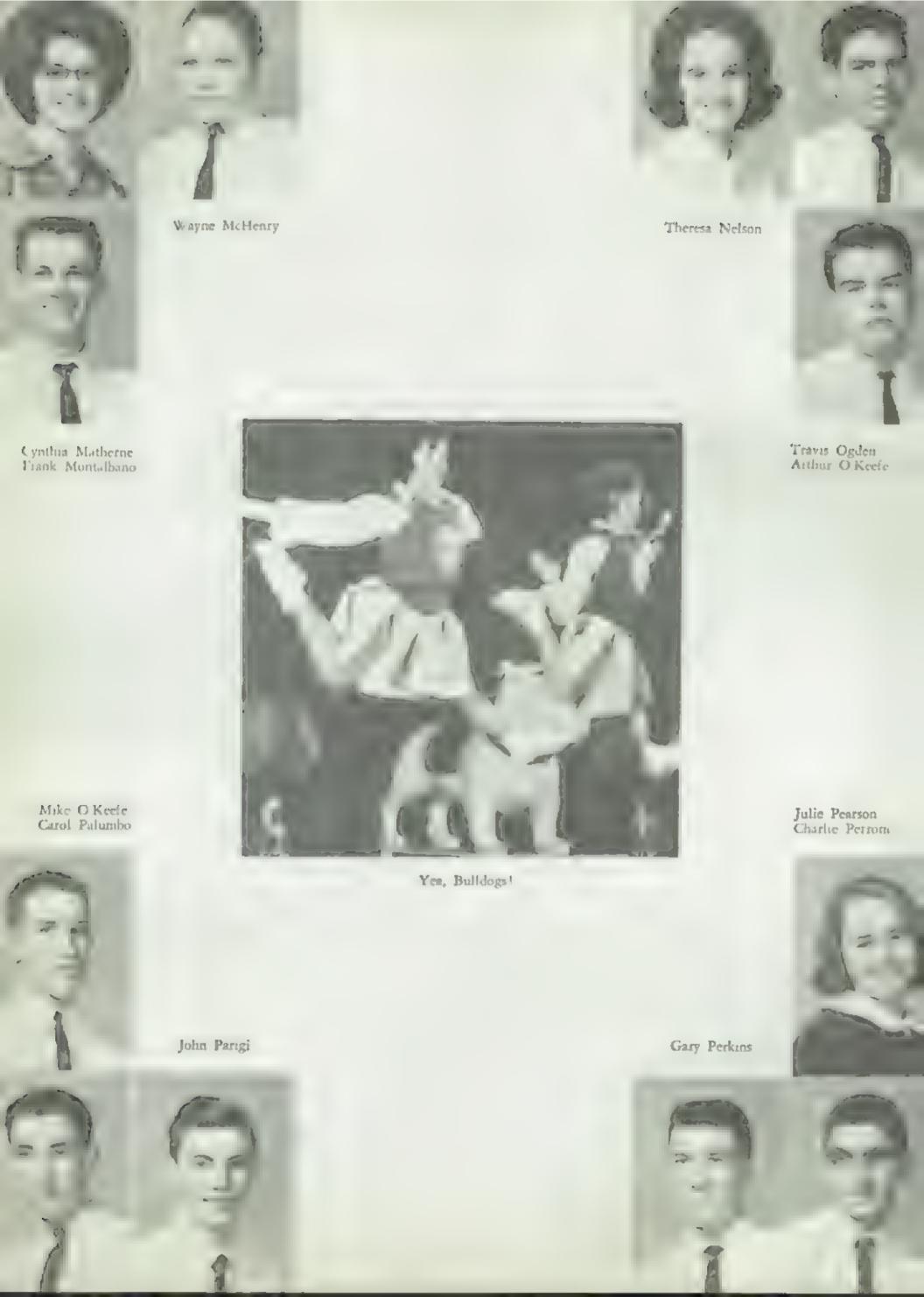
Beth Lomonte Mike Mahoney

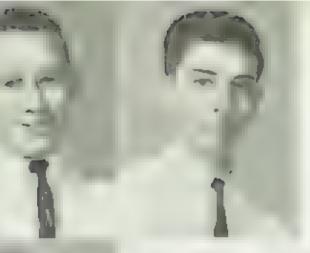
John LeBlanc Michael Leinseux



Paula Malain Anthony Malley







Luke Petkovsek



Jimmy Phelan



Jores Plan Jeanne Planince



Tommy Peterson Cathy Pharris



Biology students explore mysteries of the microscope.

Paula Racki Tim Ramb



Rita Polk Margaret Preble

Ann Quartarato



Colleen Ramb





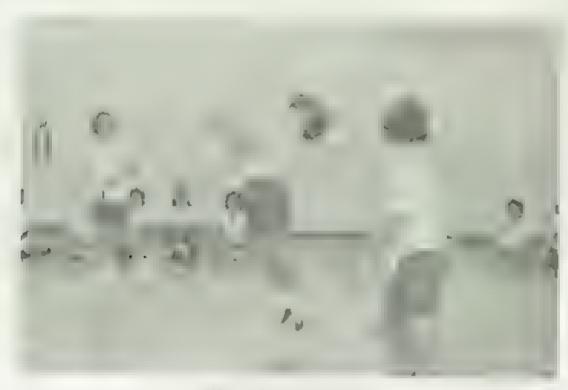




Pat Rick Nancy Rinando John Rouse Claure Sabatier Jo Jo Saldana

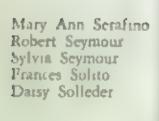


Sylvia Sanders



"Up and over, Nancy!"







Anne Steinman Mary Strazz George Tinholder Mary Lee Tilkins Joey Tortorice















Cheerleaders prepare for a yell



Cindy Turner



Paul Verret Hughes Worter Sonny Wegner Randy Wenner Sharon Whitworth



The freshman class officers are Maureen McGettigan, Vice-president John Senset, President Frank Messina, Maureen Hattop, Chris Kohler, and Concetta Coco

FRESHMEN...



Our "fish" are always ready

t.n

...learn the meaning of school spirit.

sports . . .

and study



Shirley Adams Judie Alken Bill Allen Kay Bars Roncy Baxter

Link Beck Bernard Beyt Becky Blanchett Mary Bourque Joe Briseno





School of tish as left before class



Anita Broussard
Paul Broussard
Dee Ann Campbell
Frances Cascio
Carla Chirafis

Barbara Cochran Concetta Coco Beth Collins Darlene Conner Salvador Costa



Edith Costanza Charles Daleo Michael Daleo Jimmy Danna Bill Deltlache

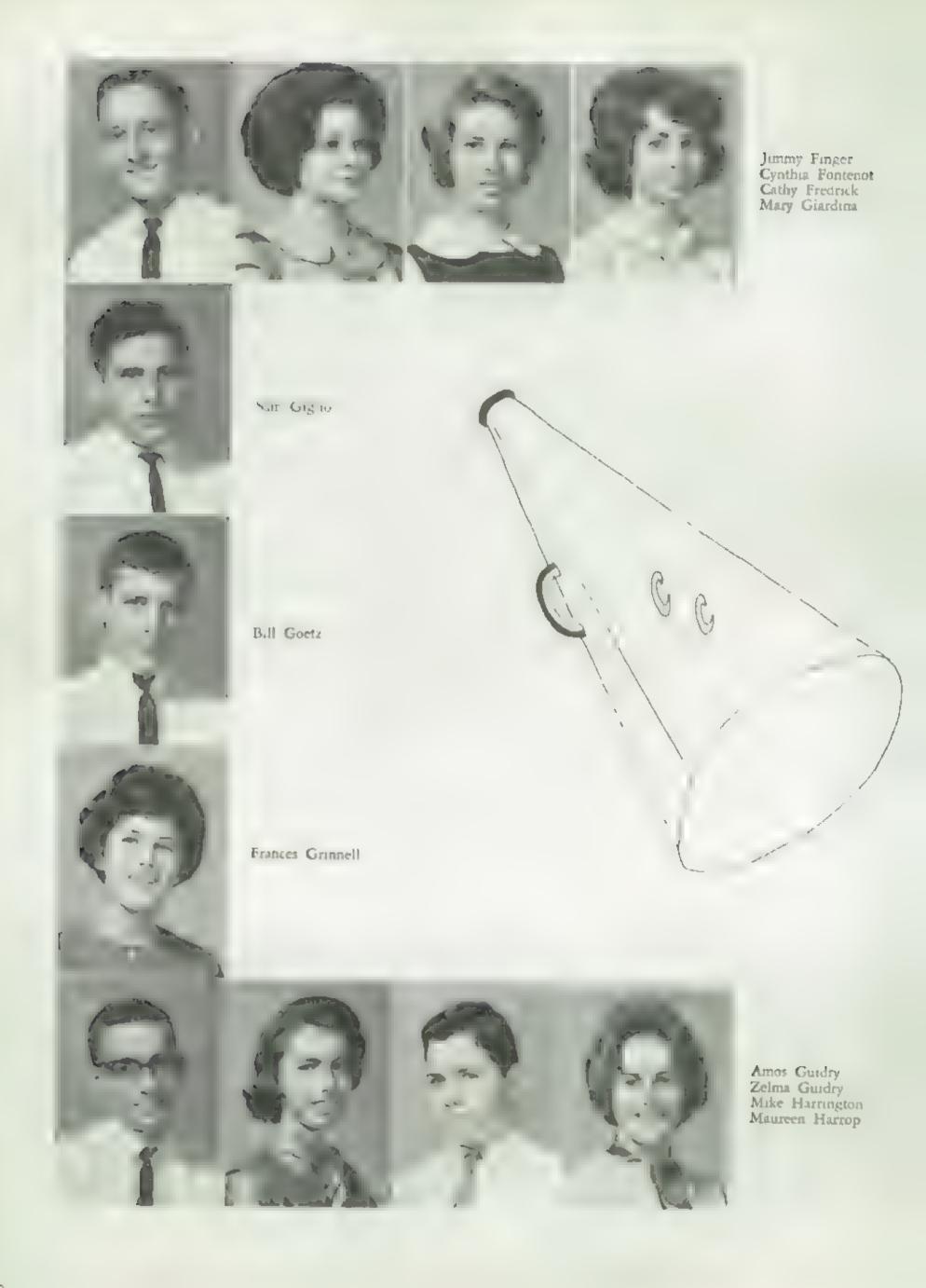
Sherrie DelPapa Rodney DeVersa Jeanette Dies Debbie Doiron Kay Belle Doyle

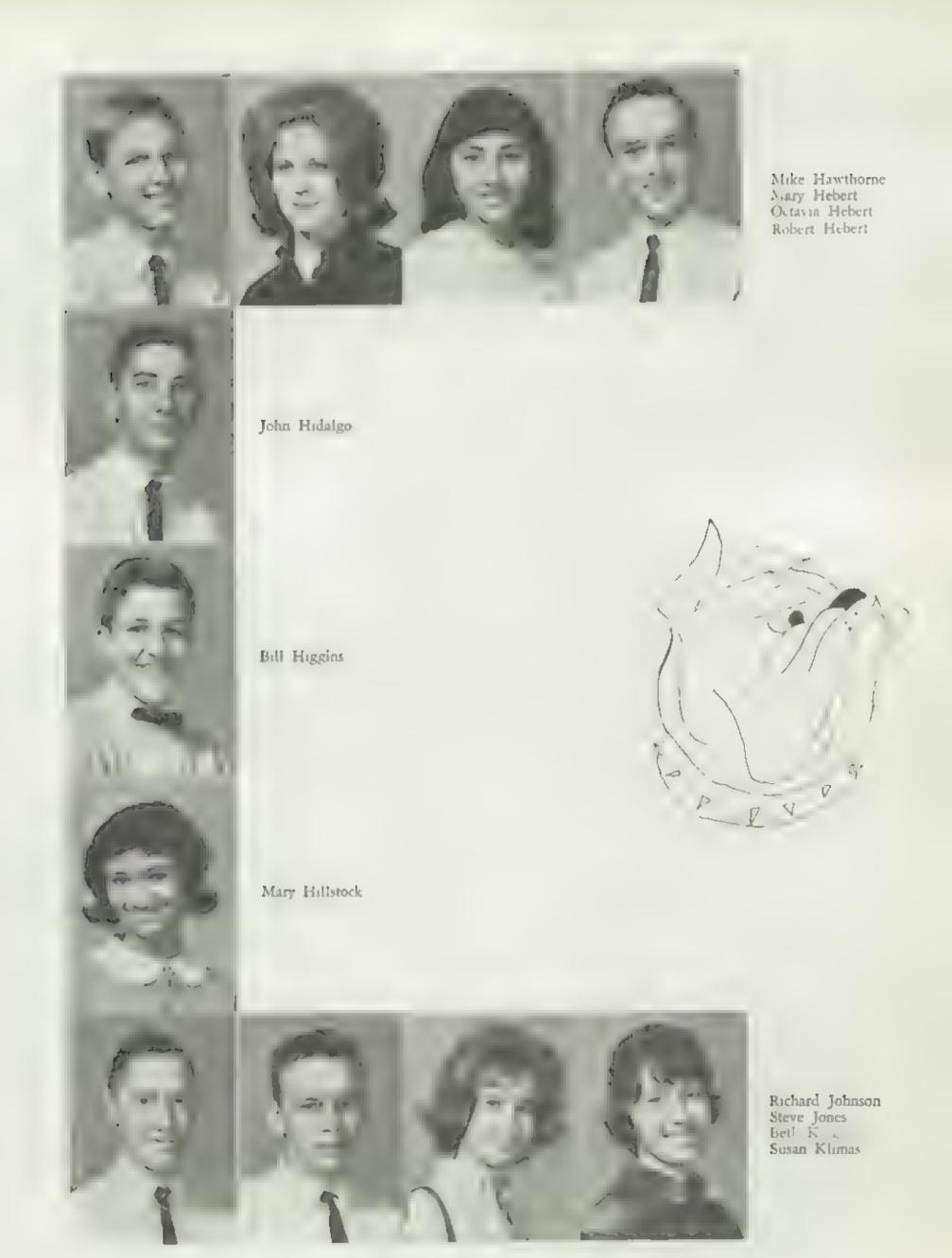


Freshmen doing research work in library.

Dianne Duncan Thomas Dunigan Robert Dust Cecilia Ellis Dan Fails

Steve Farme
Darlene Fertitta
Henry Fertitta
Jody Fertitta
Pat Fertitta







Chris Kohler







Pete Kohler

Maureen McGettigan











Rose Lee Marino

June Mirreu

Janus Mazzu





Don Kuritz James Langley Cynthia Lopez



Mike McGown Wanda McHenry Frank Messina

Sam Messina Mary Lee Miller Mike Moorhouse Colleen O'Conner

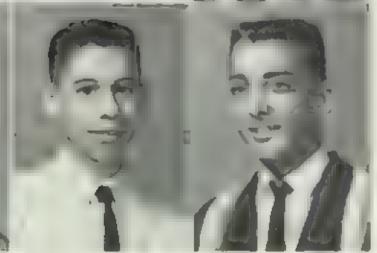


Bill Ogden



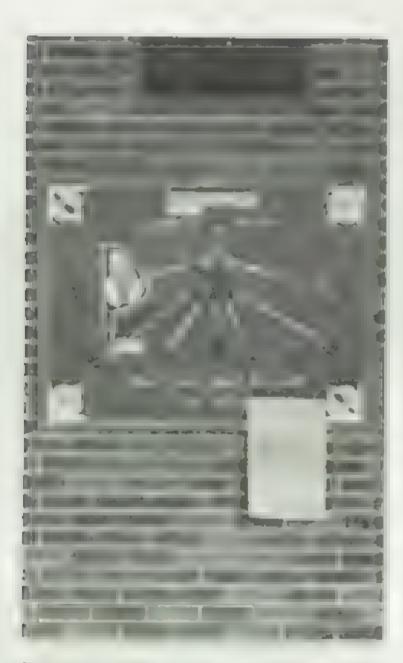


Cecile Pell Carolyn Perricone Thomas Petkovsek Wade Poche





Joe Ramey Vicki Reynolds Paul Robichau Gerard Roche



beamenical spirit of unity exemplified in bulle-



Jerry Roche Sharon Ruddy



Gothard Sargl John Sensat S. J. Serio



Edward Seymour Larry Seymour Eddie Skarke Paula Solleder

Robert Sprott Sherry Tilkens John Tille Sam Tuminello





Ernie Vincent



Freshman boys enjoy the jacket auction

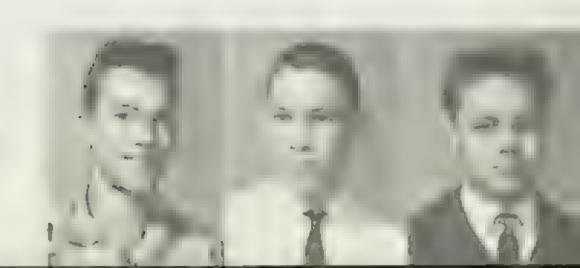


The Blue Battalion performs at the homecoming pep rally



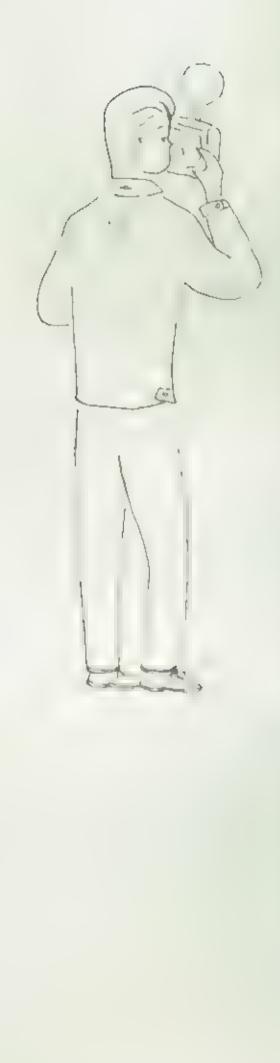
Randy Tyndall Jerome Valenta Paul Vickers





Personalities









Freshman Favorites

Concetta Coco

Frank Messina









Top Ten Seniors

STANDING: Sharon Turkleson, Frames Hohn, Joe Dyer, Joe Demoruelle, Linda Hargraves on

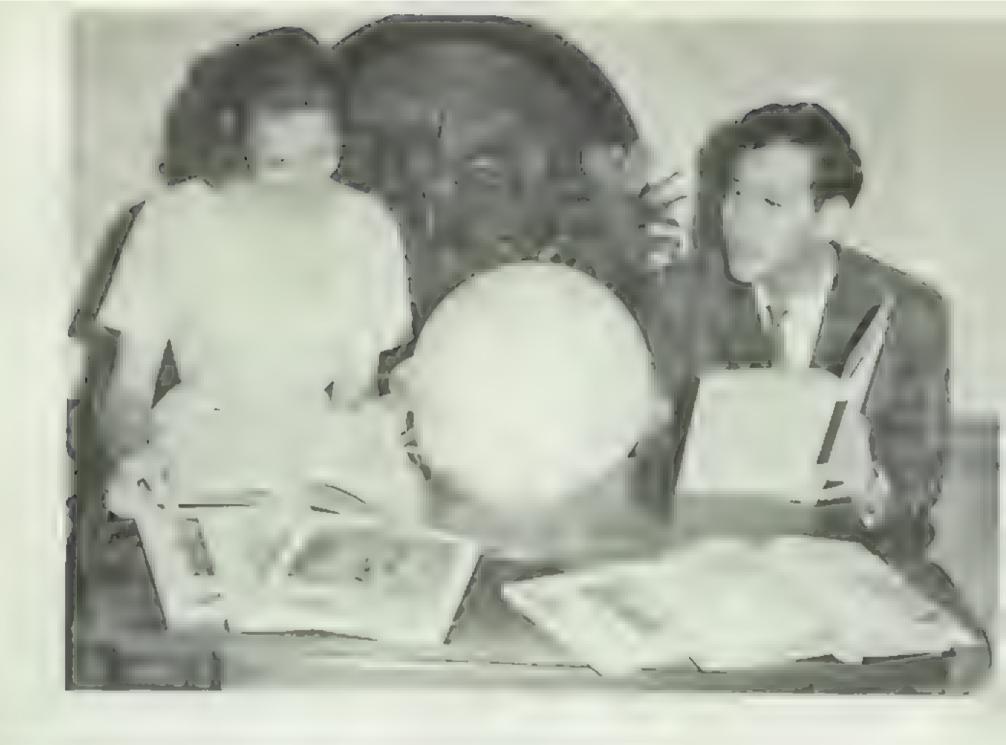
Judy Robinet

SITTING: Julius Sensat, Io Ann Daleo, James Faliey, and Bill Crowley

Salutatorian Jo 4nn Daleo

Valedictorian Julius Sensat







Most
Likely to
Succeed
Sharon Turkleson
Julius Sensat

Most
Dependable
Edward Mazzu
Jo Ann Daleo

Most Talented oe Guy Giardina Sonnie Chaplain

Most
Courteous
James Delatte
Peggy Portie





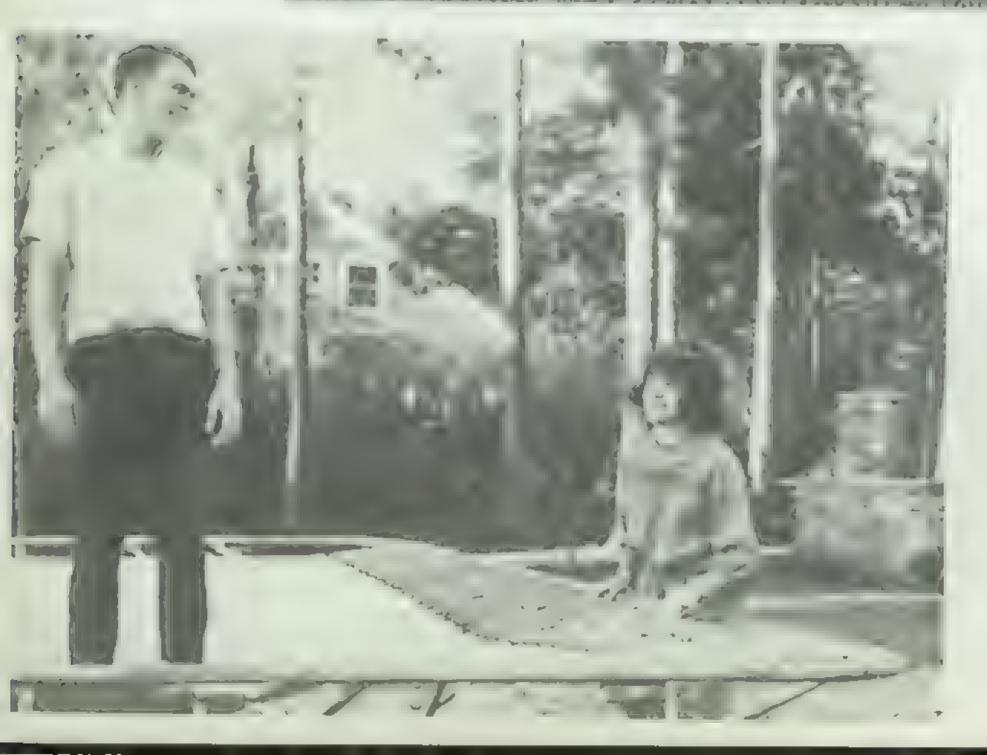
Friendliest

Sam Danna Bella Weber

Most Humorous

Jimmy Bordages Kathy Buckley



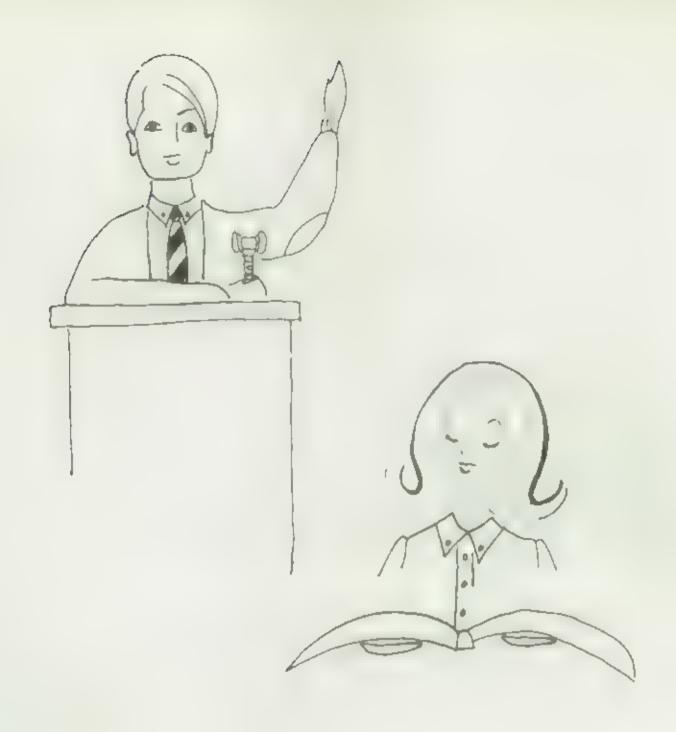




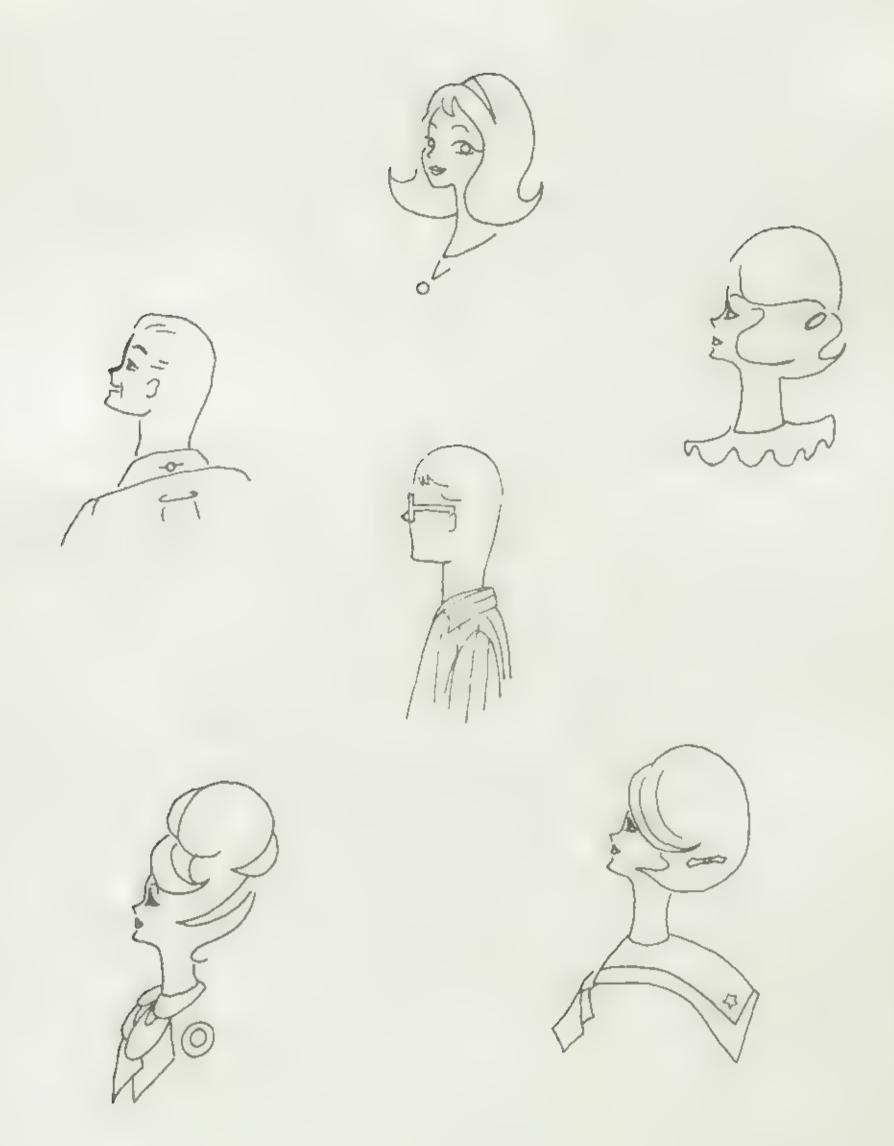
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Dressed
Joe Dyer
Meredith Montagnet

Best
Looking
Judy Robinett
James Fahey





Organizations





Boys' Sodality Officers are John Kalinec, prefect, Tim Mullally, vice-prefect; Kelly Grinnell, secretary

Sodality Immaculate

Raymond Brassard, Robert Alien, Paul Verret, Bill Langdon, and Mike Donohue take part in a Sodality meeting.





Father Leonard distributes medals during the Act of Consecration ceremony

of the Conception



Officers of the Girls' Sodality are lo Ann Daleo, treasurer; Linda Hargraves, vice-prefect; Peggy Portie, prefect; Sharon Turkleson, treasurer



Sodalists planning the Teenage Ecumenical Council They are Barry, lo Ann Dasco Peggy Portie, Linda Hargraves, Sharon Turkleson, and Sylvia Decuir



Girl Sodalists waiting to renew their Act of Consecration



Making a visit in the chapel are Kathryn Collete, Connie LaLande, Mary Lou Broussard, Jan Barry, Sandy Barranco, Mary Frances Libbon, Carolyn Person Cheryl Portie, Carol Perrin, and Mary Lou Dicks



JoJo Saldana, Louise Lau, Melinda Adams, Pricht nom Michaele Brisen



Sophomore Sodalists
Cynthia Matherne,
Mary Goetz, Mary
Beth LaMonte, Peggy
Turkleson, Anne
Steinman, Julia Doiron, Julie Pearson, make
holy water fonts

Maureen Harrop, Prefect of the Candidates, reads to Beth Collins, Maureen McGettigan, Cathy Frederick, Cynthia Lopez, Shirley Adams, Zelma Guidry, Kathleen Mullally and Mary Miller





Freshman Candidates include Pat Ferritta Dona Villarreal, Peggy McCalpin, Becky Blanchett Kay Belle Doyle Kay Barga, Edith Costanza and Frances Grinnell

Sandy Barranco helps pack boxes of food for needy families

"To Jesus through Mary"

—this is the motto of the Sodality. This ideal is the motivating force in the lives of the Sodalists at Central. Whether they're filling baskets for needy families at Thanksgiving, visiting Schlesinger's Home, performing their daily duties, or just having fun, these boys and girls keep constantly in their actions the spirit of the Sodality in order to bring about its goal—sanctification of its members and of all with whom they come in contact.





JoAnn Daleo brings the missal as Peggy Portie watches Sharon Turkle son fix the tabernacle veil

Linda Hargraves looks on as Geraldine Piccione lights the vigil lamp and Judy Robinette straightens altar cloth





Bella Weber brings the altar cruets as Patsy Fournier fixes the missal and Meredith Montagnet strughtens the altar card

The Red Cross

Central Catholic officers are J Jean Barga, and Kathy Buckley inette Conrad Fertitta Kithy Goetz

The Red Cross is an organization with the aim of contributing help to the needy. This group has aided many helpless people by contributions of generous students.



Looking through the Red Cross Journal are Joe Dyer, Jo Ann Dalco, Judy Higgins, and James Fahey.



The Student Council

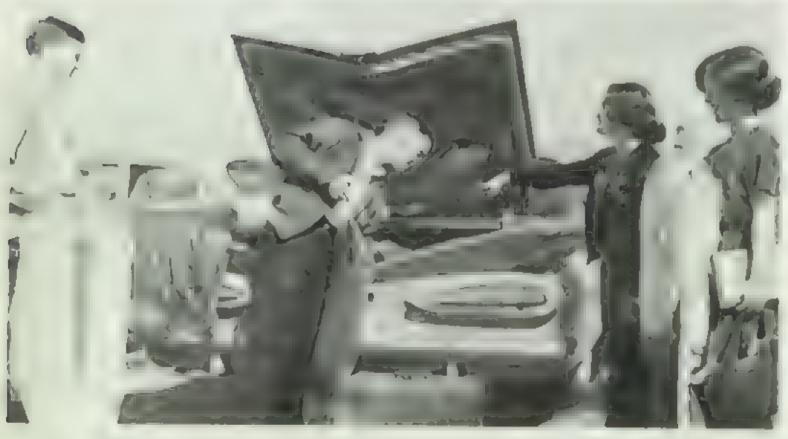


Julius Sensat, student body president

The Student Council of Central Catholic acts as official representative of the student body, making the views of the student body their guide post. Our Student Council strives for better ideas and enthusiasm toward better student government for the benefit of the Administration, Faculty and Student Body

Bill Crowley, vice-president; Judy Robinette, secretary, and Mike McGettian, treasurer discuss the budget





Mike McGettian and Kathy Goetz stand by while Jan Barry tells Jersy Dollinger how to pack the car. These students went to the Student Council Convention in Houston

ident Council memrs Jo Ann Daleo dv Robinette. Bill owley. Jan Barry, ul Knobloch, Jerry illinger. Mike M ettigan, and James hey, at a meeting



Nincy Rinando, Maty Goetz, Pat Scully, Tommy Peterson, Chris Kohler John Sensat, Concetta Coco, Maureen Harrop Frank Messina, (not pic tured) Maureen McGet tigan



Judy Malley and Peggy ."

The Student Council headed the Orientation Week, homecoming activities, and the Twirp Week activities. They have fostered ideas and enthusiasm among the students and have tried to cement better faculty-student relations.





Cheerleaders











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Twirlers







Genesians...

. . . First in the Houston Area Unit

. . . Best 411 Round Play in the Texas-Louisiano

Cast of the "Hitchhiker"

Julius Sensat Ronald Adams
Mike McGettigan
Carmen Ferguson the girl hitchhiker
Mary Kay Dust Adams' mother
Marc Ogden road-side stand owner
Lucille Wagner stand owner's wife
David Fertitta gas station attendant
Sylvia Decuir Mrs. Whitcomb
Mary Lou Dicks telephone operator
Julie Ann Plaia telephone operator
Bonnie Chaplain telephone operator
Sandy Barranco telephone operator

Ronald Adams asks a girl hitchhiker to stay with him.



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President Contail Fertitia, Secretary Iulie Ann Polia, and Vice President Contail Ferguson discuss plans for the next meet is

The role of Drama...

Drama should be as natural to us as playing "Cowboys and Indians" was when we were children. At the same time, acting is a sublime imitation of the activity of God Himself. The true actor creates a new personality within himself which he projects to the audience. And in doing so he must assume that character with enough self-abandonment to be completely identified with his role by the audience. This imitation of the humility of Christ, who assumed human nature and became identified with us, is completed in the union of the actor with his role which reflects the Holy Spirit of Love between the Father and the Son.

The Drama Club exists to offer the opportunity of sharing in something of this sublime experience



loe Gay Giar lina, Bill Deltlache, Julie Ann Plaia Sandy Barranco, Mary Lou Dicks, Bonnie Chaplain, and Mary Frances Libbon are backstage during the 'Hitchhiker



Genon Oliver, Billy Frank and Devil 1 , see read script for "Christmas at the Communication of the Communication o



and Joseph, ask for a , to stay from Mary Mc Gown the innkeeper

Drama Club members le via Decire Divid Enl

work with sound effects are Jack Angelo, Charles Rouse, Sci-1, sse, Joe LaRocca, Carolyn Perroni, and Mary McGown



The Future Business Leaders of America



The F.B.I.A. officers are Vice P. John Judy Malley, Treasurer Lina Brono, President Sandra Lilbe, and Secretary Elvina Godeaux

Pat Hebert, Kathleen Mullaffy, Sandy Barranco and Sharyn Flanigan work in the book store

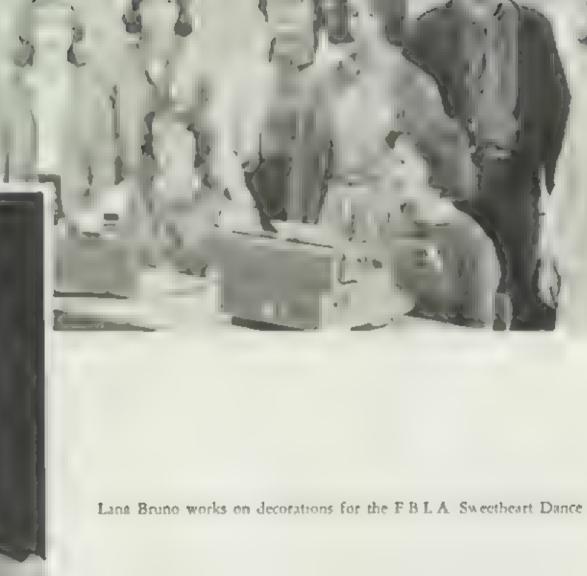
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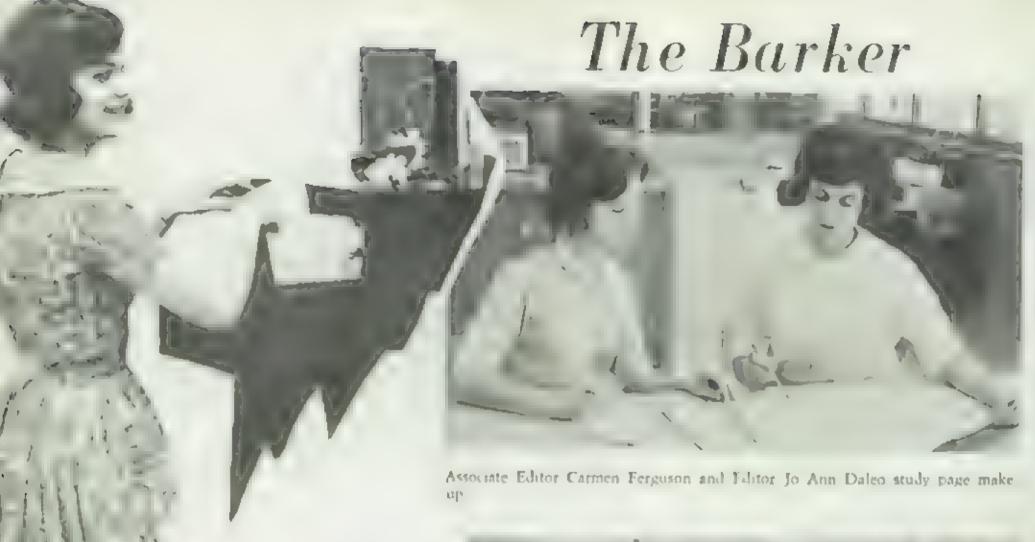




Mary Kay Dust, Connie Lalande, Francis Tortorice 1 , c school directories

Members of the F B L A and other business students participated in the C. B. E. A. Southern Unit Business Contest, They are Sharyn Flanigan, Connie Lalande, Flaine Doucette, Frances Hohn, Lana Bruno, Bonnie Chaplain, Joe Dyer, and Elvina God Caux





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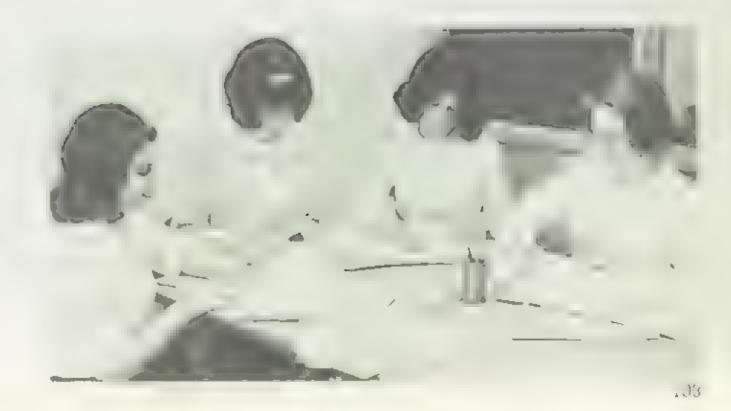
Business Manager Mike Tyndell checks state ments with Pat Hebert, while Don Parigi goes over copy with Barbara Klema. Margret Coco, Sam Danna, Bella Weber and Mike Battaglia work on Barker mailing to Foundation members.





Photographers, Genon Oliver, Robert Allen and Clayton Lau discuss pictures.

Page editors for one edition of Barker are Carolya Perroni, Mary Lou Dicks, Julie Ann Plaia and Cheryl Portie.



National Honor Society





The National Honor Society is an organization composed of junior and senior students chosen for their leadership, patriotism, service, character, and scholastic ability.

Members include: Jo Ann Daleo, Concetta Brocato, Bonnie Chaplain, Jan Barry, Gerry Piccione, Carol Perrin, Joe Dyer, Linda Hargraves, Mary McGown, Sharon Turkleson, Carolyn Perroni, Connie Lalande, Katy Goetz, Mike McGettigan, Julius Sensat, Paul Knobloch, Joe Demoruelle, Eddie Guise, James Fahey, and Tim Stelly.

Father Leonard congratulates Jan Barry as she receives her membership card

Glee Club Officers are Art Geis . Gerard Sala, vice presi 21 A. Stimman, secretary; Edw. Mazzu, librarian; Theresa Nes e libraria

Glee Club

The Glee Club is an organization composed of students of all grades, designed to develop an appreciation of music in all the members. During the course of the year, the Cecilians' main function is to provide entertainment for all by presenting programs which appeal to all age groups.





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"Young to paket or two as a self become a vecine from "Oliver."





Thomas Dunnigan sings "Maria" from "West Side Story" to Daisy Sollender.



Claire Sabatier sings "As Long As He Needs Me."

"Echoes of Broadway" was presented by the Cecilians this past spring. The program included songs from the musicals "My Fair Lady," "West Side Story," "Oliver," and "South Pacific." Solos were sung by Theresa Nelson, Gerard Sala, Thomas Dunnigan, Daisy Sollender, John Ellsworth, Claire Sabatier, Bill Ellsworth, Gothard Sargl, Annie Nelson, Kevin McGown, Linda Fazio, Art Geis, Pat Gafford, and Anne Steinman.

Anne Steinman sings "Happy Talk" to Iva Ray Fertitta, Brenda Kimbrough, Kevin McGown, and Annie Nelson.



Quill and Scroll



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The Quill and Scroll Society is an honorary society for outstanding high school journalists.

Jan Barry, Editor

The Medallion

The Medallion, your high school yearbook, is a volume of the history of your school year. This year's staft members have spent many long hours over planning sheets and layouts, but the Medallion could not have been published without your cooperation. The staff has attended several seminars to improve our yearbook and this summer we have three delegates going to the 5 mmer Workshop at A&M University. The most joyous moment of the year for us will be when you receive your copy of the 1964 Medallion.





Joe Dyer, staff artist

Jo Ann Daleo, section editor, and Margaret Fazio, typist, discuss plans for a page.





Cheryl Portie, Jean Barga, Genon Oliver and Claire Sahatier crop-pictures.



Grace Naquin, Mary Lou Broussard and Regina Broussard work on Organizations



Anne Stein Julie Ann Plaia, Nancy Rinando, Patsy Allen, Cady Turner, and Mary Lou Dicks goth or around the desk to look at pictures



Bella Weber, Theresa Nelson, Beverly Thompson, Carolyn Perroni, Mary Goeta, Judy Robinett make plans for next section



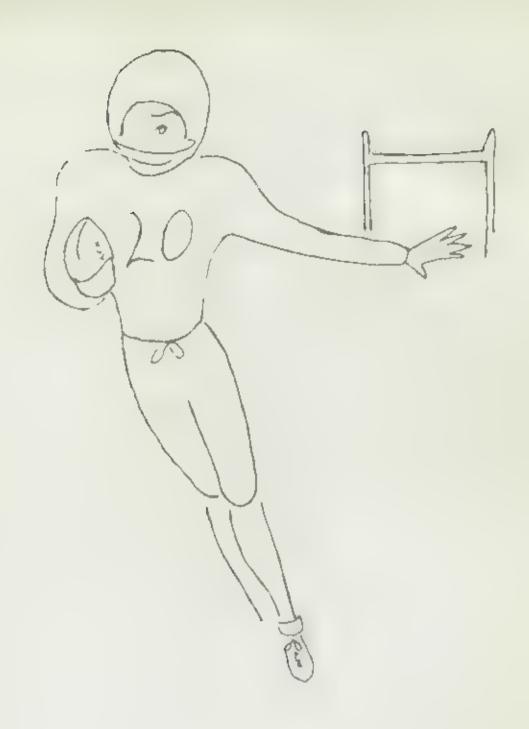
Morris Jones, photographer

Art Geis, Judy Malley, Frances Tortorice work on sports





SPORTS







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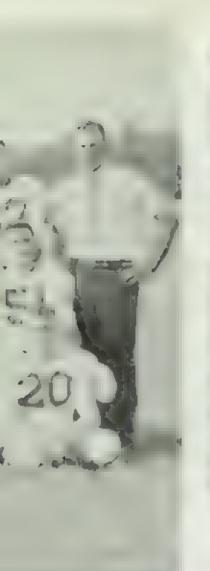
Tertitta, Bobby Dinsmore, Jim Higgins, Pete Maida, Bills

Third row: Father Rechtin, Coach Novak, Jammy Bord iges, Gregg Harrop, Mike Lee, Sam Danna, San Nuchia, Vincent Battaglila, Mike O'Keefe, Mike McGeitigan, Mike Galiano, Coach Reimer

A Team

DATE	OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Sept. 6	St. Thomas	12	28
Sept. 13	Vidor	6	35
Sept. 20	Huntsville	8	21
Oct. 6	Landry	6	6
Oct. 13	St. Pius	12	34
Oct. 18	Cleveland	26	0
Nov. 1	Kirwin	50	55
Nov. 10	Byrne	12	14
Nov. 15	St. Mary's	17	0







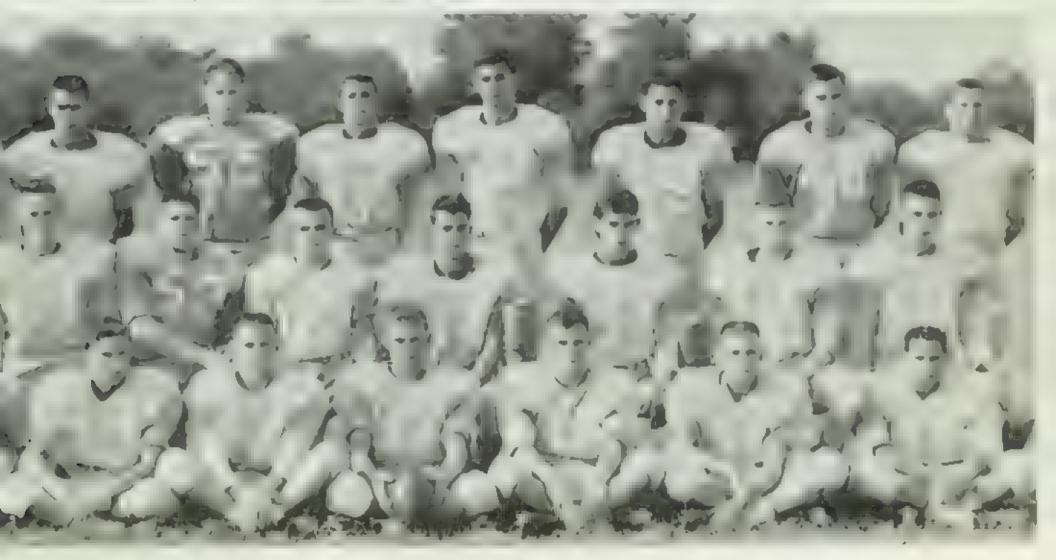
CCIPS students form a victory line for the mighty bulldogs

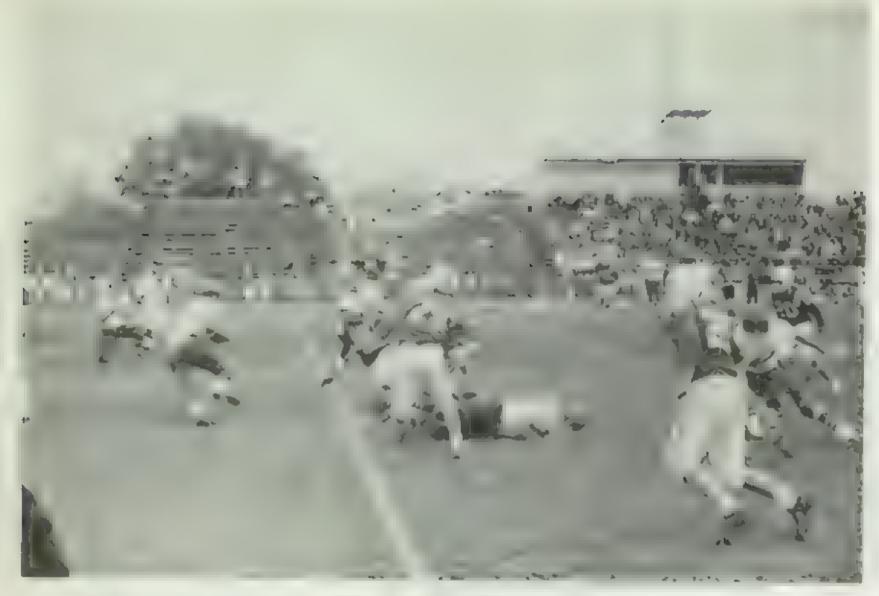
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Danna, Hughes Watler, Pat Sculley, Third reset has timer, John Hamby, Don Kuntz, Steve Farne, Acrey, Luke Petkovsek, Joe Ramey, Bill Ogden, Frank Messina





Greg Harrop cuts to the left to avo a swarm of defenders, as our lineman vainly tries to clear the way

Discouraged?. . . of course not!

the bulldogs fought all the way!



Mike McGettigan is surrounded by a regiment of tacklers as he tries to break away



Mike Galiano leaps to make a sensational grab off a pass as Mike Lee and two enemy defenders look on

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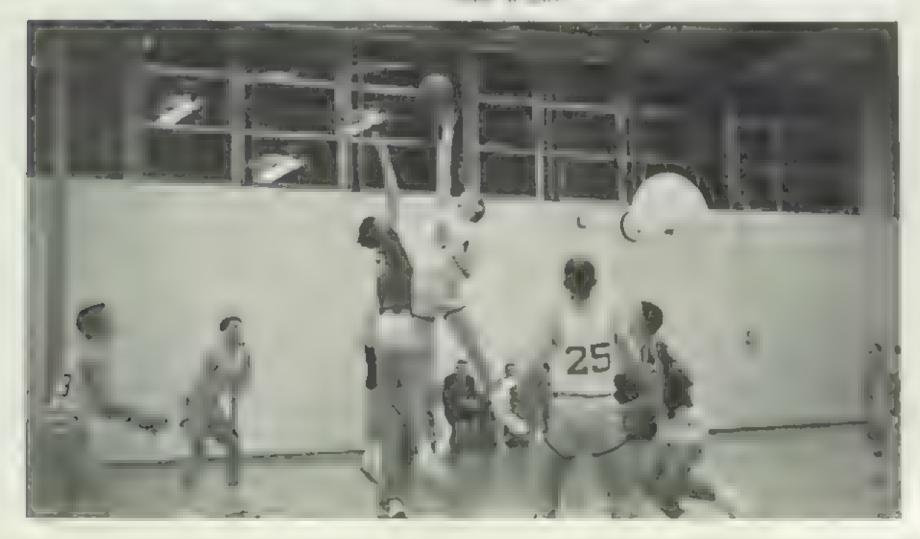
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Emmy Mackin, Greg Harrop, Pete Maida, and Sonny Wegner tensely await the ball bby Dinsmore out jumps a St. Mar.

All the Year's practice was rewarded with an exciting district championship.



In their first year at Central Catholic, Coach Novak, Coach Reimer, and Father Rechton produced a fine, well rounded athetic program and we wish them continued success in the future.—The Medallion Staff





Oreg Harrop jumps to shoot over the heads of the all fated Bucaneers iring the tense and exact off for the state of the st



Art Geis, Jimmy Mackin, Jerry Dollinger and Neill Carlson stand ready for action as Luke Petkovsek jumps against a St. Mary's foe to start the game. Moral support is given by Coach Reimei Freddie Bosse, Chuck Tenholder, Frank Montalbano, Joey Tortorice and Charlie Perroni

1963-1964 Schedule

Nov. 22	Port Acres	Jan. 2	Dayton
Nov.25	Vidor	Jan. 3	Deweyville
Nov. 26	Sabine Pass	Jan. 7	Hamshire-Fannett
Dec. 3	Hamshire-Fannett	Jan. 13	Spurger
Dec. 6 ,7	YMBL Tournament	Jan. 18	Mauriceville
Dec. 9	Port Acres	Jan 22	St. Mary's
Dec. 12-14	Kountze Tournament	Jan. 24	Bishop Byrne
Dec. 17	Vidor	Jan. 28	Kirwin
Dec. 19	Dayton	Jan. 31	St. Mary's
Dec. 26-28	Sour Lake Tournament	Feb. 5	Bishop Byrne

Feb. 6 Kirwin

Baseball



Unity with God leads us to Victory!

Fop row: Tim Stelly, Jammy Mackin, Greg Harrop Sam Danna, Sonny Wegner, Pete Maida, Mike Galiano, and Coach Reimer

Bottom Row. Mike Lee, Joe Demoruelle, Paul Knobloch, Chris Kohler, Fred Patrizi Pete Kohler, Paul Robichau, and Billy Frank





Paul Knobloch stands ready for a pitch



Billy Frank catches the ball as enemy player sways to miss it





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Schedule 1963-1964

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DATE		OPPONENT	
March	10	Kountze	
March	12	West Orange	
March	17	Jasper	
March	19	West Orange	
March	20	Kountze	
March	23	Dayton	
March	24	Vidor	
March	30	Forest Park	
March	31	Vidor	
April	3	Dayton	
April	4	Beaumont High	
e April	7	St. Mary's	
a April	9	Bishop Byrne	
April	108:11	Coaches Tourn.	
e April	14	Kirwin	
* April	17	St. Mary's	
April	18	Jasper	
# April	20	Bishop Byrne	
April	21	Beaumont High	
e April	23	Kirwin	
April	25	French	

^{*}Denotes District Games

Paul Knobloch slides back to first after failing to complete a steal to second base





Catcher Billy Frank swings into ac-tion as ball passes by.

Mike Galiano is con-gratulated by Pete Maida, Greg Harrop and Paul Knobloch, following his tower-ing home run



TRACK



Pete Maida strains with every muscle as he strides to victory in the 220 yard dash at the District meet

District Champs

4th at State

In their first year of real competition our track team performed like seasoned veterans. The constant and rugged practices and the grim determination of our track team paid off with a district championship and a trip to Dallas where they placed 4th out of 14 Catholic High Schools in the state. We salute our track team for their fine performance in their first year of competition.

The Medallion Staff



Vis. College to the broad jump at the District meet.



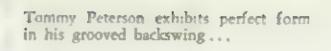
Proc. R. b. on a sprit s. b. the fine as he wins the low hurdles at the District meet



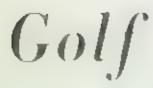
Jimmy Mackin kicks his legs high to easily clear the bar in the pole vault in District competition



Sam Nuchia grimaces with determination while heaving the shot put at the District meet



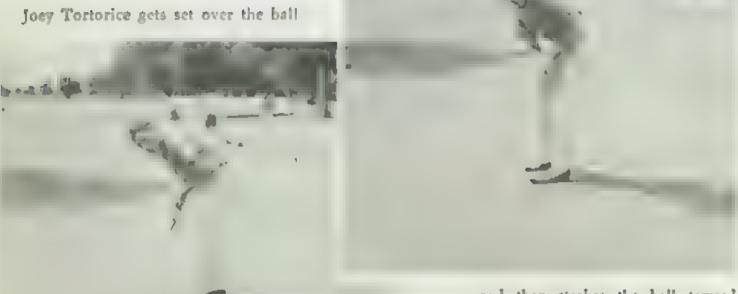




Our golf team competed in many city wide and out of town tournaments, but the highlight of the year was the trip which they took to the district tournament in Galveston. The varsity includes: Jerry Dollinger, Tommy Peterson, Bobby Dinsmore, Joey Tortorice, and Luke Petkovesek. The freshman team includes: Gothard Sargl, Henry Fertitta, Randy Tyndall, Tommy Petkovsek, and Mike Daleo.



Jerry Dollinger, our team med alist, shows the powerful swing which is characteristic of his golf game



... and then strokes the ball toward the cup.



Cecile Pell spikes the ball to right front during a heated volleyball game

Girls' Sports

Front row: Sue Venza, Gerry Karpel, Malinda Adams, Claire Sabatier, Darlene Galassi, JoJo Saldana, Patsy Allen, Back row: Shirley Adams, Sharon Whitworth, Ann Quartararo, Mary Strazz, Margaret Preble, Peggy Turkle son, Cynthia Matherne

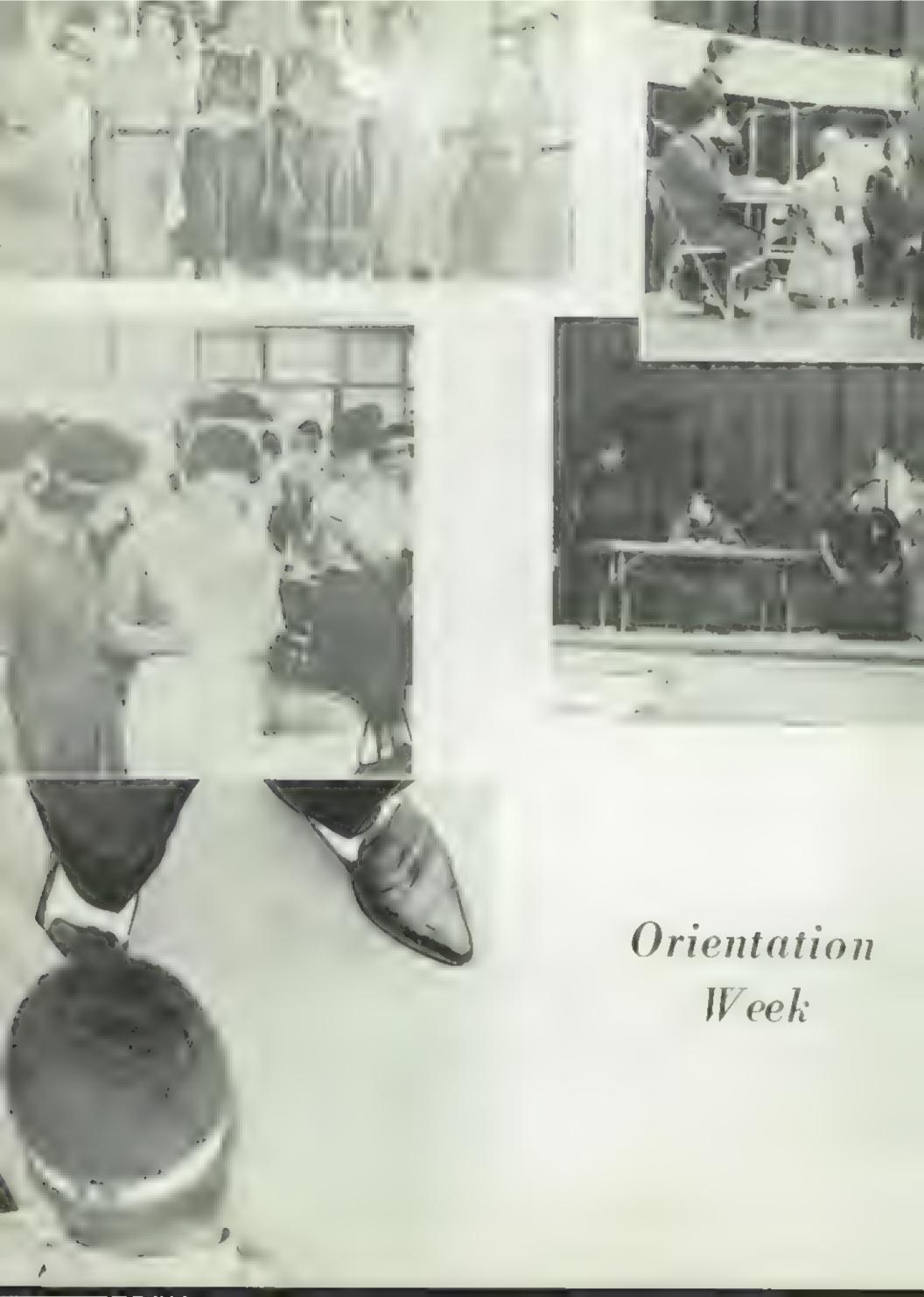
Ballet or basketball?





ACTIVITIES











Ring Ceremony



Visitors Come To Central



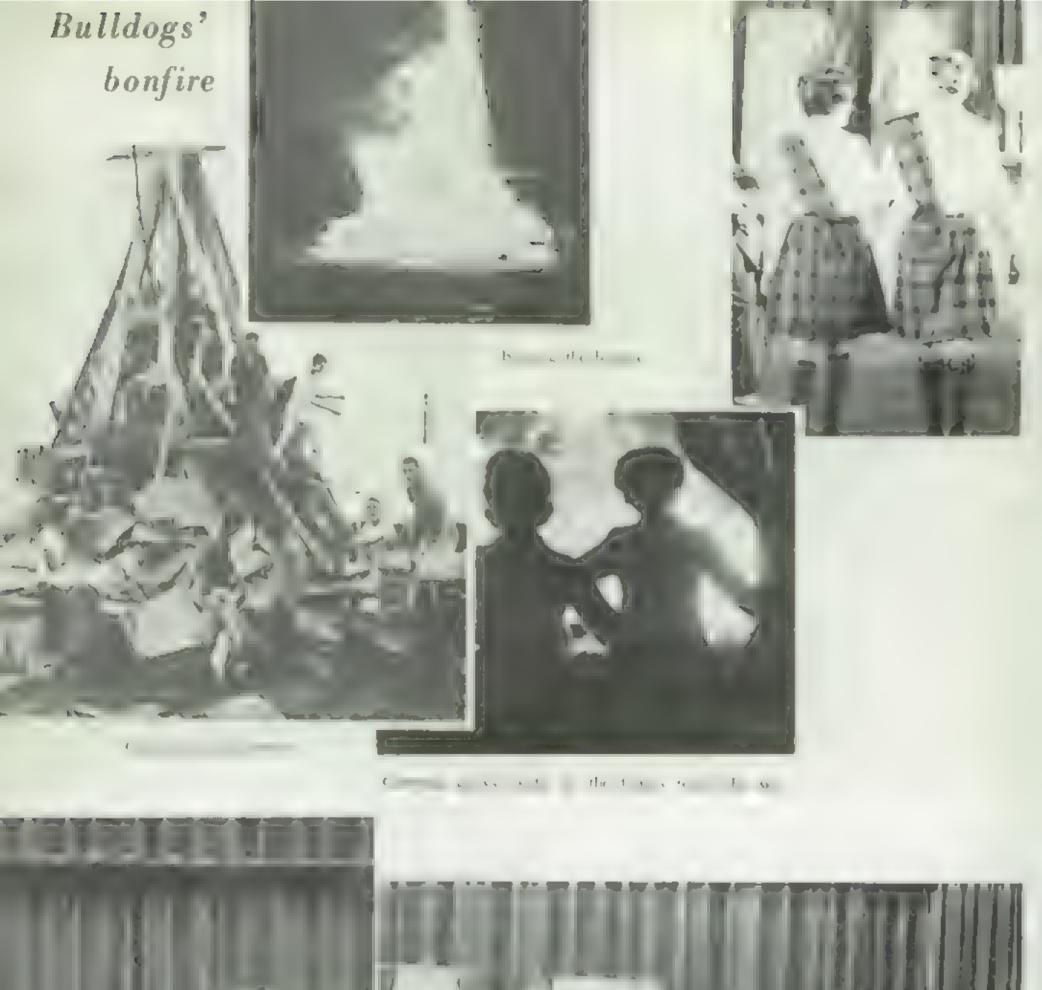








Various speakers highlighted the '63 64 CCHS school year





Judy Robinett Homecoming Queen '63-'64





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Homecoming '64

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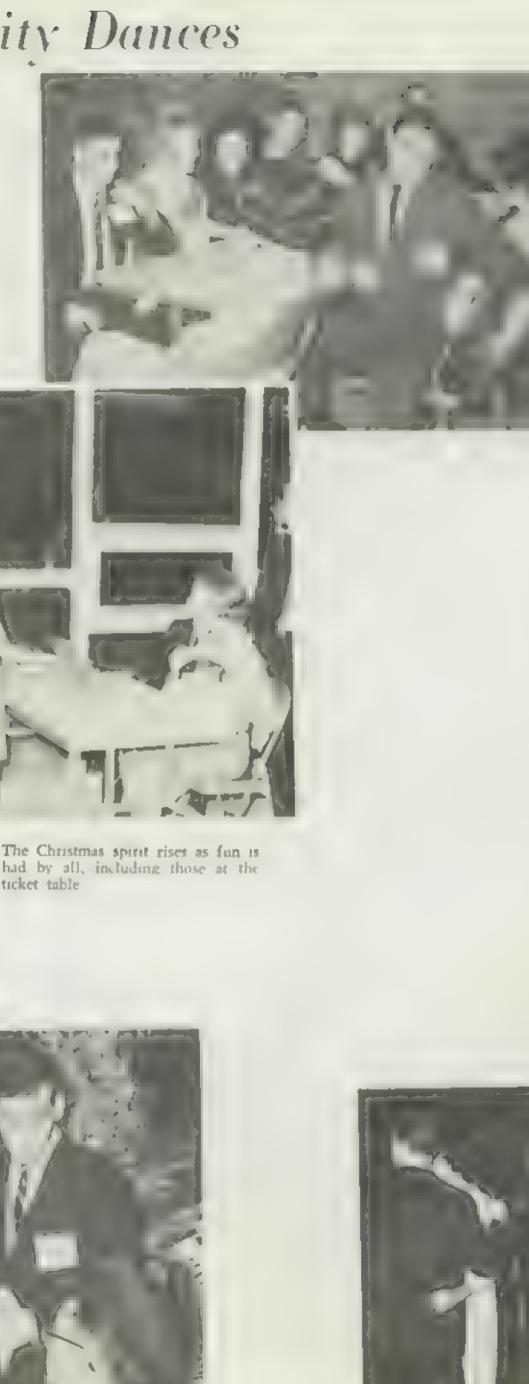
Homecoming Game

December Brings Alumnae



and Boys' Sodality Dances

Gaiety and good times were the order of the evening December 27th when the Boys' Sodality set the pace for their annual vuletide dance



CCHS Spring



FBLA Sweetheart Bella Weber and excort Jimmy Bordage smile as they receive programmer Title's congratulations



Junior 1 Senior candidates and escorts Kathy Goete, Mike Lee, Phyllis Tangredi Vincent Battaglia, Joe LaRocca, and Jidi Malley appland Bella and Jimmy



Freshman and Sophomore candidates for 1964 F.B.L.A. Sweetheart were Concetta Coco, Mary Goetz Man Beth Lomonte, and Maureen M.Gettigan Their escorts were Frank Messura, Pat Sculley, Jimmy Phe an. and Randy Tyndall

Sweethearts



Hopefuls for the crown of 1961 Queen of the Blue B is smile in anticipation (standing) Bella Weber, Sylvia Decuir, Sharon Turkleson, (sitting) Maureen Harrop, Pat Galtord, Mary Both Lomonte, and Pit Hebert



Queen Bella Weber is crowned by her escort, Jimmy Bordages

The royalty leads the first dance after the coronation. Bright para sols in the background augment the theme of the evening, 'April Showers."



Twir

The annual turn of the tables dur for Central Catholic students. For the at the expense of the gentle sex, Howe





Mother Goose, Conrad Fertitta, quiets the kiddres" with her, or is it his, fairy tales?



Twirp King and their

Pictured at left: JoAnn Daleo, Bill Crowley. Phyllis Naquin, Charles Fertita, Phyllis Tangred James Fahey, Bella W. 1991 and Jimmy Bordages

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p Week provided lots of enjoyment week the boys reveled in good times irls didn't mind...or did they?



Above. Tinkerbell, Cooper Haw thorne, flits up on stage with the aid of Peter Pan, Margaret Coco

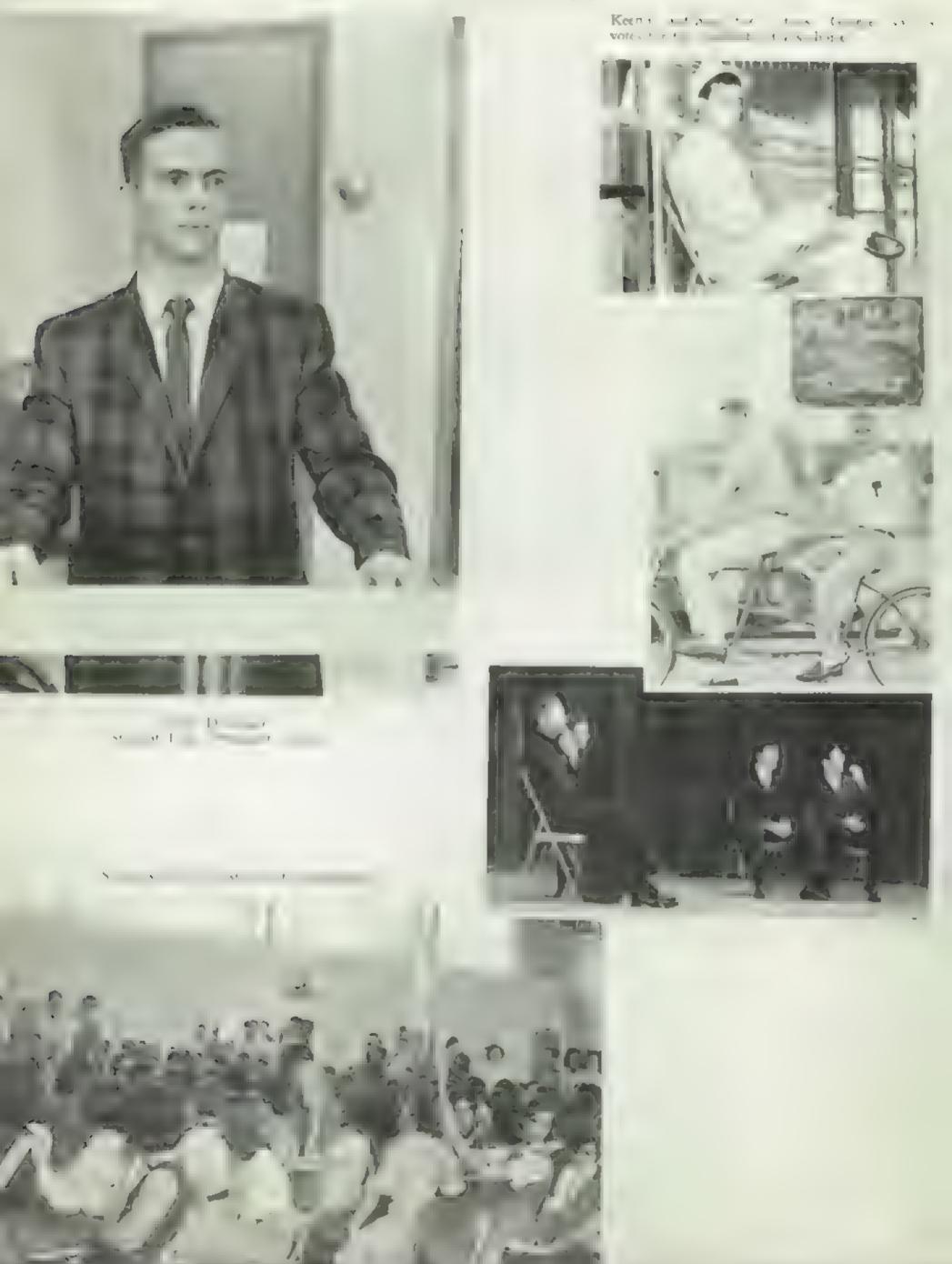


Candidates Escorts

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Elections





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Jr.-Sr. Picnic

Fun is in store for our chaperones too as they relax and talk in the shade





Fun is the fad of the juniors too as we witness by these four "shy" juniors.



Eating seems to be the amin thought of these junior girls after a vigorating swim

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Graduation

With the arrival of spring at C.C.H.S., the graduating class of 64 neared its departure from high school days.



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At right are the two highest ranking students from the '64 graduating class of CCHS.; valedictorian, Julius Sensat; and salutatorian, JoArm Daleo.



Baccalaureate Mass

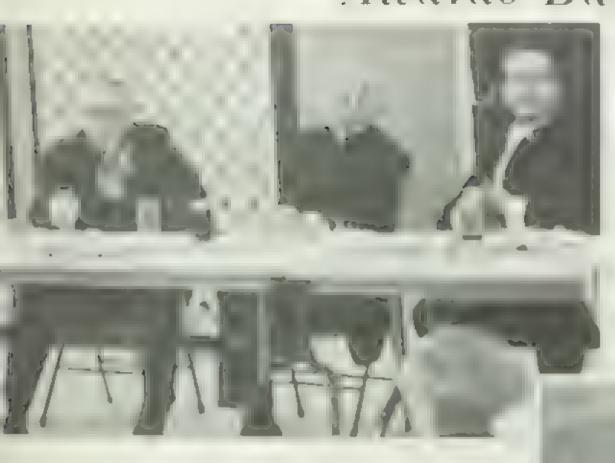
The perfect sacrifice—Holy Mass—was offered as a fitting prayer of thanksgiving and petition for the graduates' past and future lives.

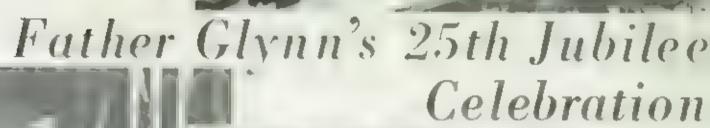
With mixed emotions, Central Catholic's graduates listened to a sermon which they will remember the rest of their lives



Father Leonard and Father Rechtin distribute Holy Communion to the 1964 Graduating Class at their Baccalaureate Mass.

Awards Banquet









Highlights of 1963-64



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Above, sti dents, awed by the falling snow

are graciously allowed

to gaze wistfully out

the windows

Imitations Plus Two" show the student body it a special assembly sponsored by the Girls Sodality their version of the "Beatles"

Below, Biology students attempt to trap snowtakes for observation



At left, the statue of St Joseph stands majestic amid the falling white snowflakes



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Percy Port - Prefect fithe Girls Sidality crowns the Blessed Virgin on May 1st. 149









